# CAPITAL CONNECTION, INC. 417 E. Virginia Street, Suite 1 • Tallahassee, Florida 32301 250 224-8870 • 1-800-342-8062 • Fax (850) 222-1222 Ruffand Construction Co., Inc 500005365095 -04/23/02--01081-002 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*78.75 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*78.75 Art of Inc. File LTD Partnership File Foreign Corp. File Foreign Corp. File

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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

### RUTLAND CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.

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SECALIARY OF STATE
TALL AHASSEE FLORIDA

The undersigned incorporators hereby associate themselves together to form a corporation under Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

# ARTICLE I NAME & PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of the corporation is RUTLAND CONSTRUCTION CO., INC. and its principal place of business is 4904 C.R. 307, Lake Panasoffkee, FL 33538 with a mailing address of Post Office Box 1109, Lake Panasoffkee, FL 33538-1109.

### ARTICLE II GENERAL PURPOSE

The general purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized is the transaction of any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

### ARTICLE III CAPITAL STOCK

The aggregate number of shares of stock which the corporation shall have the authority to issue is 100 shares of common stock having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

### ARTICLE IV TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall begin its existence on the day these Articles of Incorporation are filed by the Secretary of State of the State of Florida, and shall exist perpetually.

### ARTICLE V REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE

The name of the initial registered agent of this corporation and the initial registered office are:

W. A. COCKE 4904 C.R. 307 Lake Panasoffkee, FL 33538

### ARTICLE VI MANAGEMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.0732, Florida Statutes, the business of the corporation shall be managed by the shareholders of the corporation rather than by a Board of Directors.

### ARTICLE VII OFFICERS

The names and mailing addresses of each of the officers of the corporation are:

President/Secretary/

& Treasurer

W.A. COCKE

Post Office Box 1109

Lake Panasoffkee, FL 33538

## ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator are:

<u>Name</u>

Address

W. A. COCKE

4904 C.R. 307

Lake Panasoffkee, FL 33538

# ARTICLE IX AMENDMENT

The Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law.

ARTICLE X BYLAWS

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The power to adopt, amend or repeal the Bylaws shall be reserved to the share Helders TOF STATE IALLAHASSEE FLORIDA of this corporation.

# ARTICLE XI INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify each officer to the full extent permitted by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 25 day of

W. A. COCKE

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF LAKE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared W. A. COCKE the person described in and who executed the foregoing document and who acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes set forth therein, and the said W.A. COCKE is personally known to me \_\_\_\_\_\_ (yes/no) or who produced State of Florida Driver's License No. \_\_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the State and County last aforesaid this 25

day of *April*, 2002.

Signature of Notary

Print Name of Notary

NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF FLORIDA

# ANNE LOUISE SMITH MY COMMISSION # CC 766792 EXPIRES: October 25, 2002 Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters

### **ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT**

Having been named to accept service of process for the above corporation at the place designated in these Articles of incorporation, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

W.A. COCKE Registered Agent